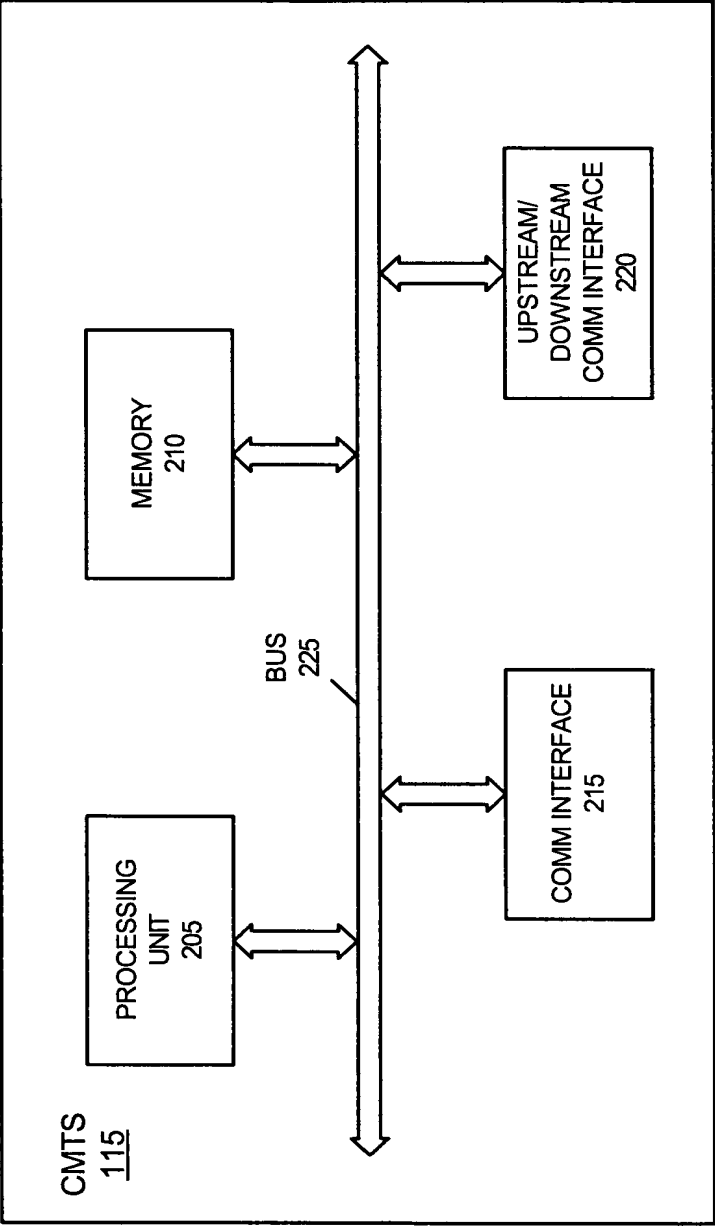
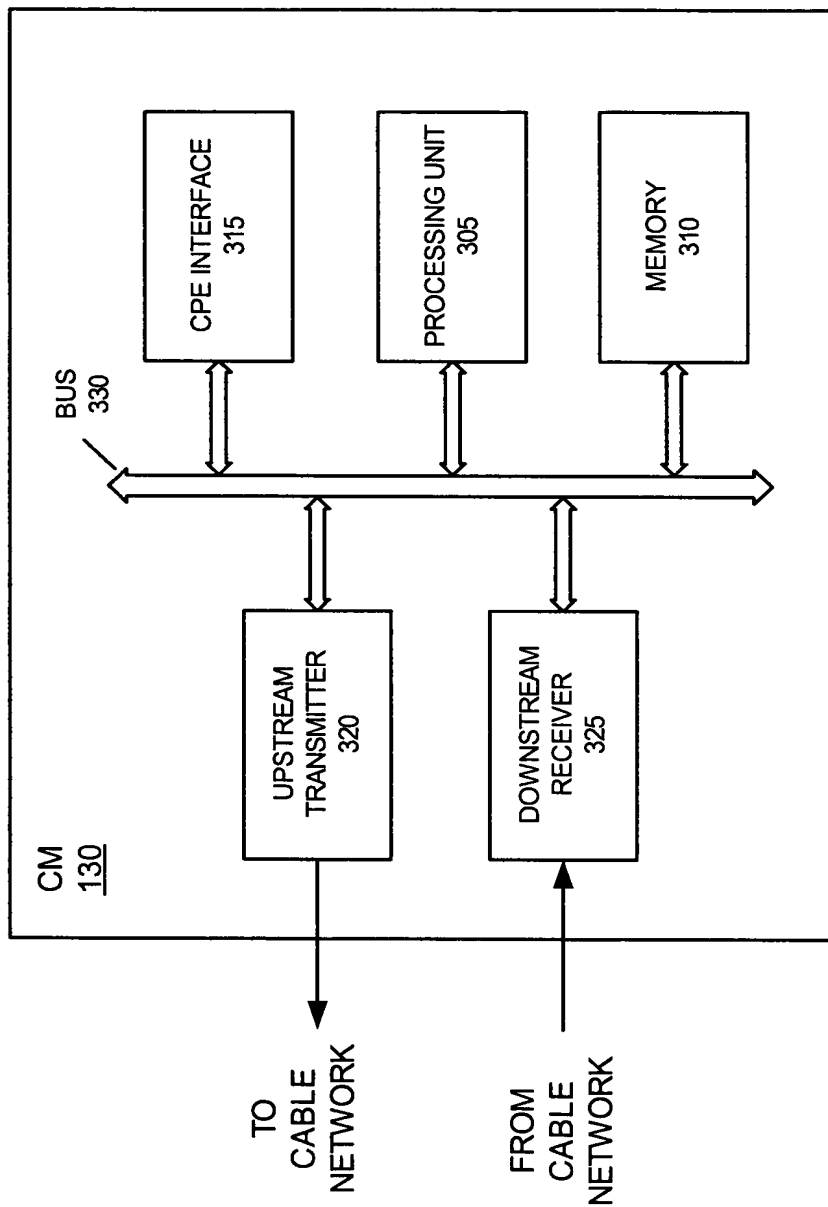


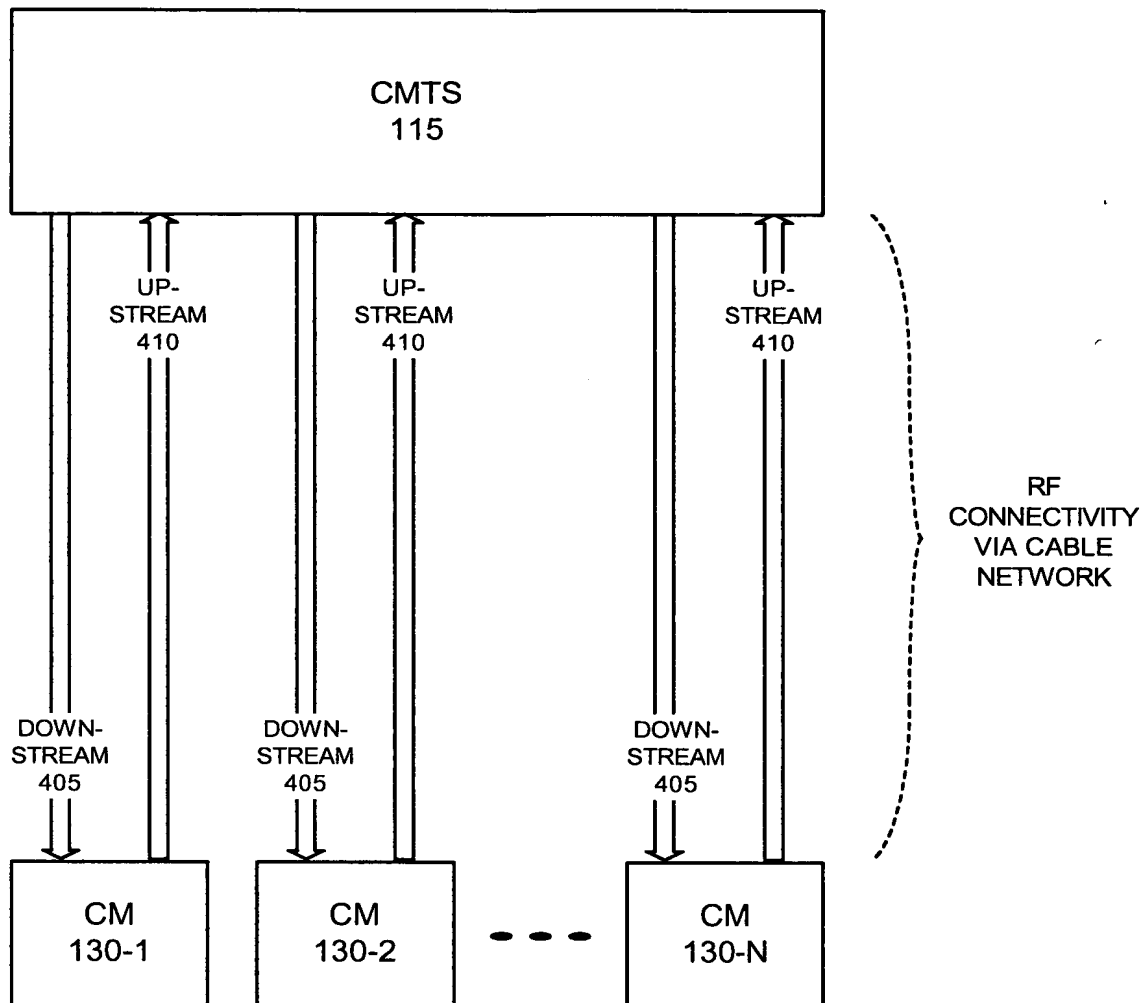
**FIG. 1**



**FIG. 2**



**FIG. 3**



**FIG. 4**

UPSTREAM CHANNEL DESCRIPTOR  
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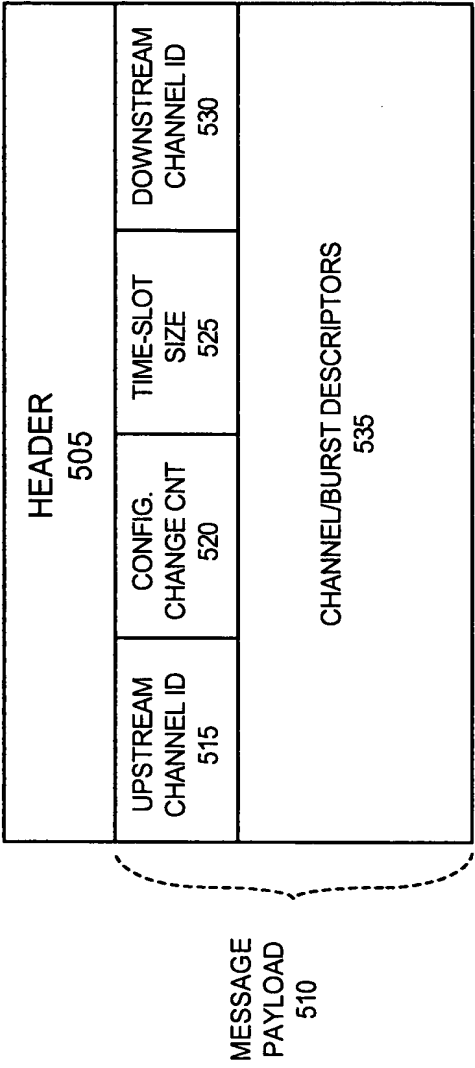


FIG. 5

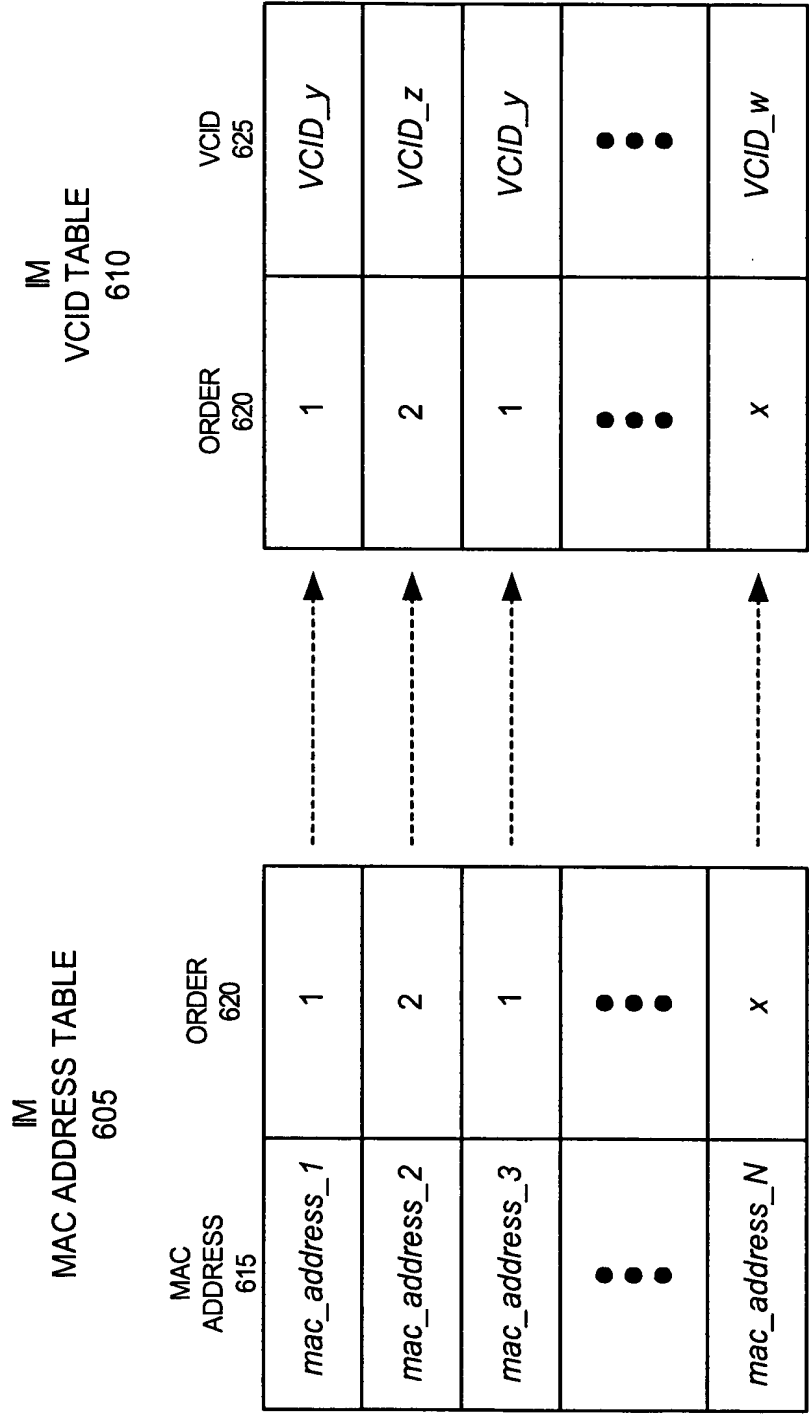
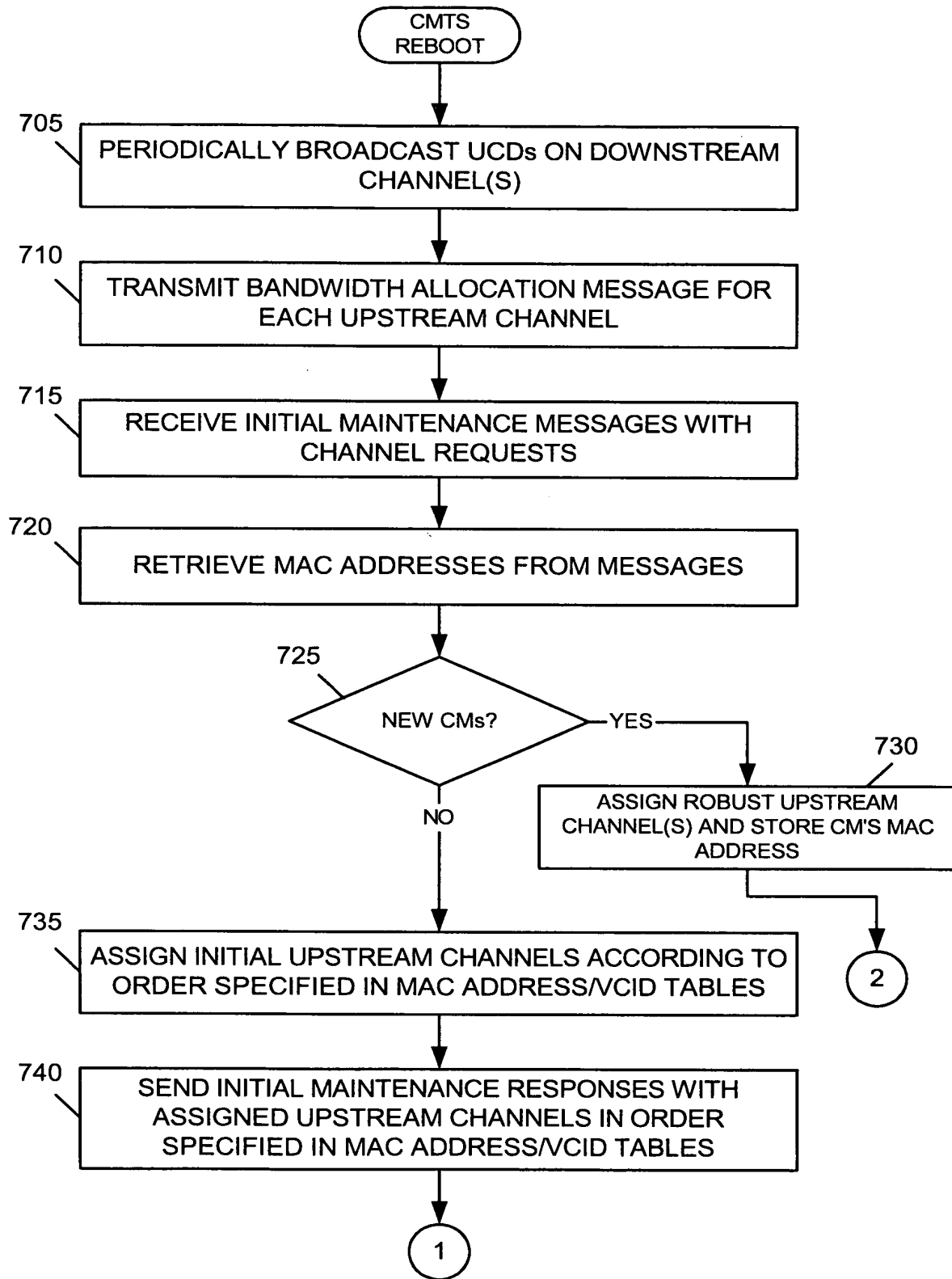
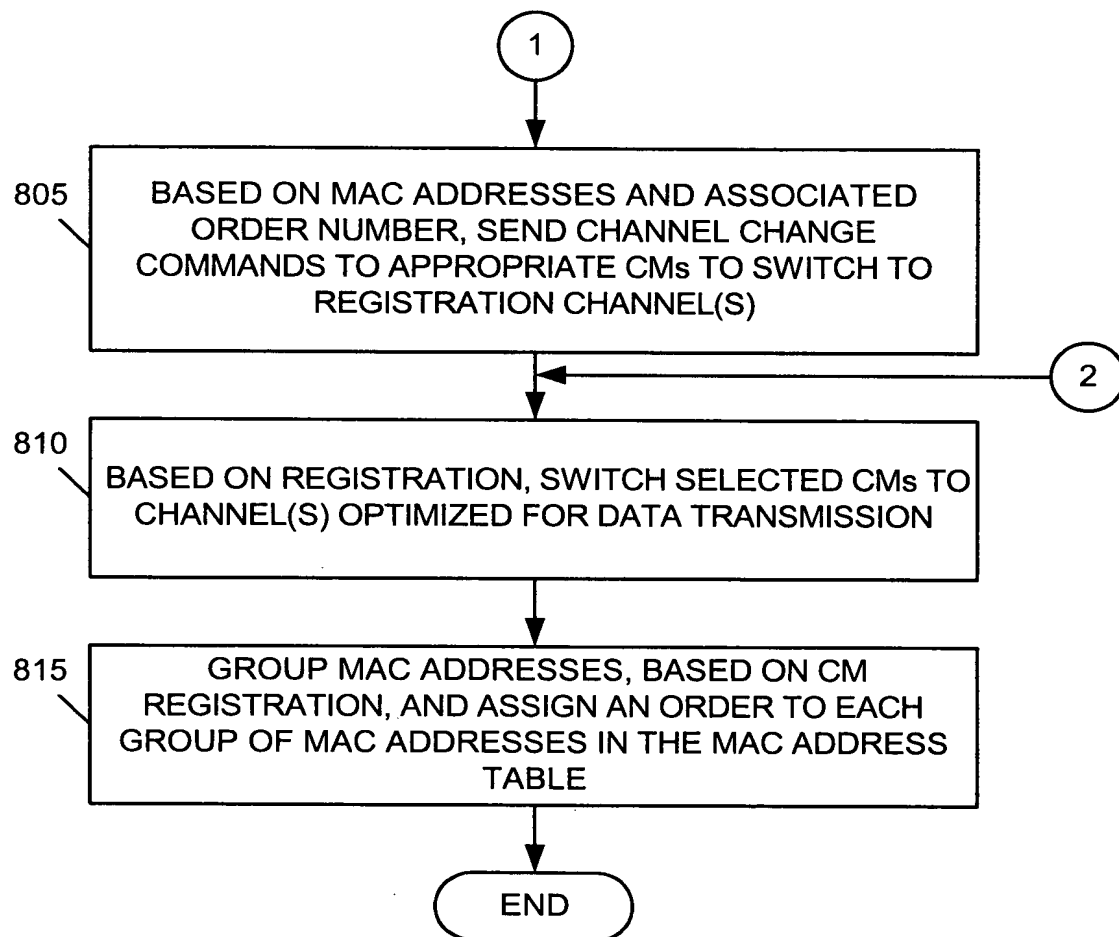


FIG. 6



**FIG. 7**



**FIG. 8**